## MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS MINUTES OF April 23, 2015

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Residence Inn, Ridgeland, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:40 a.m. by Chairman Allen.

Those present: David Allen, D.C., Chairman

Absent--Kathryn Stanek, D.C. Vice Chairman

Dorothey Pernell, D.C. David Ritch, D.C. L.A. Norville, D.C.

Mary Gayle Armstrong, M.D.

Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney

Chairman Allen declared a quorum at 8:41 a.m.

Dr. Armstrong motioned for the acceptance of the November 25, 2014 Telephonic Meeting and acceptance of the January 22, 2015 regular meeting. Dr. Ritch motioned and Dr. Pernell seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Armstrong motioned to accept the following Treasurer's report:

Appropriation FY 2015 \$64,118.00 YTD FY 2015 Expenditures \$57,015.49 Cash in State Treasury \$113,912.75

Dr. Pernell seconded. Motioned passed unanimously.

There was no Continuing Education committee report.

On motion by Dr. Armstrong, second by Dr. Pernell, the Board unanimously voted to go into a closed determination session to consider whether it needs to go into Executive Session. In the closed meeting, Dr. Armstrong motioned, with a second by Dr. Ritch, that the board had a reason to go into Executive Session, namely to have a strategy session with respect to prospective litigations or issuance of an appealable order.

Within the Executive Session, the Board took the following action: No action taken.

Upon conclusion of the business for Executive session, the Board voted, upon motion made by Dr. Norville and seconded by Dr. Ritch to come out of Executive session. Having exited Executive Session, the Board resumed in open meeting by announcing the above described action.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Christine Renae Wilkerson, D.C. and Paul Leon Seitz, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Pernell seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no legislative report.

Concerning Complaint 3105, a report was given since this complaint is still active.

Complaint 3109-A is still active.

On motion by Dr. Armstrong, second by Dr. Pernell, the Board unanimously voted to go into a closed determination session to consider whether it needs to go into Executive Session. In the closed meeting, Dr. Armstrong motioned, with a second by Dr. Pernell, that the board had a reason to go into Executive Session, namely for the purpose of investigative proceedings by the Board regarding allegations of misconduct or violation of the law **RE**: complaints 31-19, 31-20 and 31-21.

Within the Executive Session, the Board took the following action:

- 1. On a motion by Dr. Ritch and a second by Dr. Armstrong, the complaint 31-19 is to remain on the table, with this referred to the attorney generals insurance investigation division for action.
- 2. Concerning complaint 31-20 Dr. Allen recommended that no action be taken because no violation had occurred. Dr. Pernell motioned to send a letter to the doctor concerning this. Dr. Armstrong seconded. Motion passed with Dr. Norville recusing himself.
- 3. Concerning complaint 31-21 Dr. Pernell recommended no action at this time because further investigation is needed.

Upon conclusion of the business for Executive session, the Board voted, upon motion made by Dr. Norville and seconded by Dr. Ritch to come out of Executive session. Having exited Executive Session, the Board resumed in open meeting by announcing the above described action.

Dr. Pernell motioned to approve Iperlitta Vance as a preceptor. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously. Dr. Harry Dorsey will be the sponsor.

The following doctor has passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license; Christine Wilkerson, D.C. and Paul Seitz, D.C. Dr. Ritch motioned with Dr. Norville seconding. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Armstrong motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Armstrong motioned for adjournment. Dr. Pernell seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 11:50 a.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting: July 23, 2015 Next scheduled examination: July 23, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Walker, D.C. Approved by Chairman\_\_\_\_\_